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Marlene H. Dortch, Esq. Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

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Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary

Re:

Leased Commercial Access; Development of Competition and Diversity in Video Programming Distribution and Carriage; MB Docket No. 07-42

Implementation of section 304 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996; Commercial Availability of Navigation Devices; Compatibility Between Cable Systems and Consumer Electronics Equipment; CS Docket No. 97-80; PP Docket No. 00-67

NOTICE OF ORAL EX PARTE PRESENTATION

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 30, 2007, Patrick J. Esser, President of Cox Communications, Inc., Alexandra M. Wilson, Vice President of Public Policy and Regulatory Affairs, and Lauren M. Van Wazer, Chief Policy and Technology Counsel, both of Cox Enterprises, Inc., met with Commissioner Robert M. McDowell and Cristina Chou Pauzé, the Commissioner's Advisor for Media Issues, regarding issues raised in the above-referenced proceedings. Specifically, the parties discussed whether refining the Commission's leased access rules is necessary to ensure diversity of cable programming given the current video marketplace. The parties also discussed matters related to two-way digital plug and play, including the positions of the cable industry as set forth in the filings of the National Cable and Telecommunications Association.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b)(2), an original and one copy of this notice are being submitted to the Secretary's Office and a copy is being provided to the Commission participants in the meeting.

Kindly contact the undersigned if you have any questions regarding the foregoing.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc:

Commissioner Robert M. McDowell

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